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June 25, 2003

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Room TWB-204 Washington, D.C. 20554

Re:

Verizon Petition for Forbearance from the Prohibition of Sharing Operating, Installation, and Maintenance Functions Under Section 53.203(a)(2) of the Commission's Rules, CC Docket No. 96-149

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Commission's Protective Order of May 22, 2003 in the above-captioned proceeding, paragraph 8 of the *Procedures for Obtaining Access to Confidential Documents*, AT&T Corp. hand delivered the attached letter to the Wireline Competition Bureau and counsel for Verizon notifying them of our request for access to any confidential documents and/or information subject to that Order and providing copies of the executed Acknowledgment of Confidentiality appendix.

One electronic copy of this Notice is being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Hunseder

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Attachment

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William H. Maher, Jr. Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554 (Via Electronic Mail) Joseph DiBella Verizon 1515 N. Court House Road Suite 500 Arlington, VA 22201-2909 (Via Overnight Mail)

Re:

Verizon Petition for Forbearance from the Prohibition of Sharing Operating, Installation, and Maintenance Functions Under Section 53.203(a)(2) of the Commission's Rules, CC Docket No. 96-149

Dear Messrs. Maher and DiBella:

Pursuant to the Commission's Protective Order of May 22, 2003, this letter is to notify you that the undersigned, counsel to AT&T Corp., seeks access to the confidential materials submitted by Verizon that are covered by the Protective Order. The Acknowledgment of Confidentiality of the undersigned is submitted herewith.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Hunseder Counsel for AT&T Corp.

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Attachments

APPENDIX B

Acknowledgment of Confidentiality

CC Docket No. 96-149

I hereby acknowledge that I have received and read a copy of the foregoing Protective Order in the above-captioned proceeding, and I understand it. I agree that I am bound by the Protective Order and that I shall not disclose or use Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information except as allowed by the Protective Order. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission.

Without limiting the foregoing, to the extent that I have any employment, affiliation or role with any person or entity other than a conventional private law firm (such as, but not limited to, a lobbying or public interest organization), I acknowledge specifically that my access to any information obtained as a result of the order is due solely to my capacity as Counsel or consultant to a party or other person described in paragraph 5 of the foregoing Protective Order and that I will not use such information in any other capacity nor will I disclose such information except as specifically provided in the Protective Order.

I hereby certify that I am not involved in "competitive decision-making" as that term is used in the definition of In-House Counsel in paragraph 2 of the Protective Order.

I acknowledge that it is my obligation to ensure that: (1) Stamped Confidential Documents and Confidential Information are used only as provided in the Protective Order; and (2) Stamped Confidential Documents are not duplicated except as specifically permitted by the terms of paragraph 10 of the Protective Order, and I certify that I have verified that there are in place procedures, at my firm or office, to prevent unauthorized disclosure of Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information.

Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Protective Order.

Executed at WASHING-TON, D.C. this 25th June

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